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angum. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, F. DE BOVIS.

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 1, 1891.

TT ONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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F. DE BOVIS, Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 10, 1891.

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THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL,£1,000,000.

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W. RUTTER. Manager. Hongkong, August 19, 1891.

Intimation's.

STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Fifty-first Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAKEHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 18 Bank Buildings, Queen's Road Central, on FRI- A DAY, the 29th Instant, at 12 o'clock Noon, THE business of the above Bank is con- for the purpose of receiving a Report of ducted by the HONGKONG AND the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and elect-

> The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from 16th to 29th Instant, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors. T. ARNOLD. Secretary

Hongkong, January 11, 1892. HE KOWLOON LAND AND BUILD-ING COMPANY, LIMITED.

ATOTICE is hereby given, that the Third N Ordinary General MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the A Company's Office, No. 5, Queen's Road Central, on MONDAY, the 18th of January, 1891, at 12 o'Clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the twelve months ending 31st

December, 1891. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from Monday, the 11th to Monday, the 18th of January, 1892, RESERVE LIABILITY OF \$10,000,000. both days inclusive, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered,

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld. Agents for the Kowlcon Land and Building Co., Ld.

Hongkong, January 8, 1892. THE CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. (IN LIQUIDATION.)

TOTICE is hereby given that a General MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at the HEAD OFFICE of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, (Messrs. MELCHERS & Co.'s), at Four p.m. on THURSDAY, the 21st January, 1892. when the Liquidators will lay before the Shareholders an Account showing their acts and dealings and the manner in which the winding-up has been conducted since the 31st December, 1890. The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 8th to the 21st

By Order, " H. HARMS. . for the Liquidators. Hongkong, January 7, 1892.

Instant, both days inclusive.

THE WEST POINT BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED. OTICE is hereby given, that the Third Ordinary Yoarly MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will

be held at the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the 25th January, 1892, at 11.30 a.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1891. The REGISTER of SHARES will be OLOSED from Monday, the 8th to Mon-

DAY, the 25th January, 1892 (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors.

A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ltd . General Agents for the West Point Building Co., Ld Hongkong, January 7, 1892.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

INFORMATION has been Received from 1 the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that Chronometer, Watch & Clock Makers, ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take from the Batteries at Stone-cutters' Island. from the 7TH PROXIMO till the END of the Monra, between the hours of 9 a.m. and o p.m. DAILY, SATURDAYS and SUN The Line of Fire will be in Westerly and South-Westerly directions from the Bat-

All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are J. D. THORBURN Manager, pro. tem. CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Ranges.

By Command. W. M. GOODMAN. Acting Colonial Secretary. COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,



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Hongkong, January 4, 1892.

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intimetions. HONGKONG LAND INVEST

MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITEO. TOTICE is hereby given, that the Fourth

Ordinary MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS in this Company will be held at the CITY HALL, on MONDAY the 25th January, 12 o'clock Noon, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors, together with Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1891. The REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, the 18th to Monday, the 25th January, 1892, (both days inclusive), during which period | the 16th Proximo, at 11 a.m., for the pur-

no Transfer of Shares can be registered. By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER,

Hongkong, January Lt, 1892. CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

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Intimations.

PRIVATE BOARD & RESIDENCE. MARS. FALCONER bas VACANCIES 1VI for GENTLEMEN RESIDENT BOARDERS, at Kowloon, Victoria View.

Hongkong, July 13, 1891." THE LABUK PLANTING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of A SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the HONGKONG HOTEL, on SATURDAY, pose of considering the financial position of the Company. Shareholders are particularly requested to attend or to send proxies. Hopgkong, December 30, 1891.

TURNER & Co. General Managers. THE LABUR PLANTING CO., LD.

Notices to Consignees. GLEN LINE OF STEAM PACKETS.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. Glenaron, having arrived from the above Ports. Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium. are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkone and Kowloon WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be ob-

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 p.m. To-day. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 13th Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Consignous are requested to present all Claims for damages and/or shortages not later than the 20th lostant, otherwise they will not be recognized. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hougkong, January 7, 1892,

Auctions.

1845.

AUCTION OF SUPERIOR WINES, SPIRITS, &o., STORED OF THE PEAK HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY the 19th January, 1892, at 2.30 p m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,-THE STOCK OF SUPERIOR WINE, SPIRITS, LIQUEURS, &c.

comprising :---CHAMPAGNE-WHITE SEAL, GOLD FOIL, MONOPOLE, JULES MUMM, POMMERY and CLARETS-MODIN ROTHSCHILD, CHA-TRAUX MARGAUX, ST. JULIEN, &c. SHERRIES. POHT. BURGUNDY, CHAMBERTIN,

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Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SAIE.—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 11, 1892. To Let.

TO LET.

NTO, 21, WYNDHAM STREET. Apply to THE COMPRADORE OF Messageries Maritimes. Hongkong, January 12, 1892.

TO LET.

With Immediate Possession. TWO Large & Commodious GODOWNS with a Wharf in front, No. 118 & 118A. PRAYA EAST, at Bowrington, next to the Canal. Rent moderate.

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Hongkong, August 6, 1891. TO LET.

NTO. 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD. AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hougkong, Detember 4, 1891.

TO LET. THE PREMISES known as Bowsing-TON FOUNDRY with Dwelling House 5 Rooms).

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Notices of Firms NOTICE.

AAY Son HENRY HUMPHREYS was IL admitted into PARTHERSHIP with mo on the 1st day of July last. JNO. D. HUMPHREYS. Hongkong, December 12, 1891.

NOTICE. FILE BUSINESS heretofore carried on under the name of JNO. D. HUMPHREYS will henceforth be Conducted under the name of JOHND HUMPHREYS & SON. JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON.

NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA, LIMITED. T) Y Order of the Court of Directors, I

Hongkong, December 12, 1891. 2316

bave TAKEN OVER the OHIEF MANAGEMENT of the BANK. GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager. Hongkong, Detember 28, 1891.

CHARP & Co., ARCHITECTS AND SURVEYORS. TELEGRAPH HOUSE, Honokong. 1st January, 1892.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned has This Day RE-TABLISHED himself as AUCTION EER and GOODS BROKER.

Hongkong, December 7, 1891.

WING HONG, TAILOR, DRAPER & OUTFITTER, JUST RECEIVED A LARGE STOCK OF

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The Steamship Arratoon Apar,
Captain J. E. Hansen,
will be despatched for the above Ports TC-MORROW, the 14th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAYID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Hongkong, January 13, 1892.

FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA. The Steamship Strathavon. Captain Smith, will be despatched as above on SPARKLING MOSELLE, VAUTEM, CHATEAUX or about the 14th Instant, instead of as

previously advertised. For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 12, 1892. UNION LINE OF STEAMERS.

YOKOHAMA. (Via Inland Sea.). The Steamship Torrington, Capt. Berwick, will be despatched as above on or about the 14th Instant, instead of as previously advertised.

FOR NAGASAKI, KOBE AND

For Freight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, January 12, 1892.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI. The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

Khedive,

Capt. L. H. Movae, will have quick despatch for the above Port after her arrival here with the outward

E, A. HEWETT. for Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 11, 1892.

SAKI AND KOBE. (Passing through the INLAND SEA.) Steamship Ancona. Captain W. D. MUDIE, will leave for the above places on FRI-

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA, VIA NAGA-

DAY, the 22nd Instant, at Noon. E. A. HEWETI. for Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, January 11, 1892.

NAVIGATION COMPANY. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG. COLOMBO AND BOMBAY. Having connection with Company's Mail Steamer to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID,

TRIESTE, VENICE AND FIUME.

The Co.'s Steamship Melpoment; Capt. A. Mirris, will be despatched as above on the 22nd Instant, at Noon, taking Cargo at through rates to CALCUTTA, MADRIS, PER-SIAN GULF. BLACK SEA, LEVANT and ADRIATIC PORTS. Cargo will not be received on board after p.m. prior to date of sailing.

For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.Hongkong, January 8, 1892.

MOGUL LINE OF STRAMERS. FOR NEW YORK VIA SINGAPORE. The Steamship Capt. Scortann, will be despatched as above on or about TUESDAY, the 26th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,

Hongkong, January 12, 1892 THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED.

FOR LONDON VIA PORTS OF CALL The Co.'s Steamship H. L. ALLEN; Com'nder, will be despatched as above on or about the 26th January, 1892. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Hongkong, December 31, 1891.

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FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.1.1. Amer. Barque Penderon, Master, now due, Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, December 2, 1891.

have quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK. The 3/3 L.I.I. American Ship Suchem,

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For Freight, apply to SHEWAN & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1891,

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THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL 1 SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSINGERS AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.-Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in N SATURDAY, the 16th day of January,

J 1892, at 3 p.m., the Company's S.S. STUTTGART, Capt. W. v. SCHUCKMANN, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this port as above. calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till 5 n.m. on the 15th January, Cargo will be received on board until 1 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 10 a.m. on the 16th January. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office). Contents of Packages is required.

The Steamer has splendid Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

Agents. *Hongkong, December 21, 1891. 2353

Ship Company. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED

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Agent. Hengkong Dec. mber 31, 1891. 2412

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STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

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THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship RAVENNA, Capt. E. CREWS, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY (connecting with the THAMES at that port, which Vessel takes on her Cargo for LONDON, via SUEZ CANAL, leaving BOMBAY, on the 13TH FEBRUARY), on THURSDAY, the 21st

January, at Noon. Cargo will be received on board antil 4 p.m. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo: Tes and General Oargo for London will be conveyed md

Bombay. For further Particulars regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STRAM NAVIGA FION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers desirous of mauring the r bag gage can do so on application as the Conpany's Office.

This Steamer takes Cargo and Passenge to FOR MARSRILLERS R A HEWETT, for Superintendent

F. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, January 11, 1862 CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY CO. ROYAL MAIL STEAMSHIP LINE,

CHINA AND JAPAN. PROPORED SALLINGS FROM HONOKONO, 1892

(SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Empress of China | Tuesday | February 2. Empress of India | Tuesday | March 1. Empress of Japan | Tuesday | March 29.

THRE R. M. S. EMPRESS OF CHINA. tons, Captain ---R.N.R., sailing at Noon, on TUESDAY, the 2nd February, with Her Majesty's Mails, will proceed to VANCOUVER, was SHANG HAI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKO. HAMA.

RATES OF PASSAGE. (In Mexican Dollars). FROM HONOKONG, FIRST CLASS.

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Cargo.—Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. CONSULAR INVOICES of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate and one copy must be sent forward by the INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION steamer to the care of D. E. Brown, Assistant General Freight and Passenger Agent, Canadian Pacific Railway Company, Van-

couver, B.C. PARCELS must be sent to our office with address marked in full by 5 p.m. on the day previous to sailing. For Further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Commercial Agents. E. HOLLOWAY,

General Agent. Hongkong, January 8, 1812

Insurances.

THE NORTH GERMAN FIRE INSUL-ANOE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

IFIHE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are propared to GRANT INSURANCES to the at 4 p.m. extent of \$100,000 on First-class Risks at

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Entertainments.

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MONDAY, 18th January. GRAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS,

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LORNE ATHLETIC CLUB. (By kind permission of Cal. V. CHATER). Mr. A. H. Wybert, Roller Skating AND BICYCLE PERFORMANCES. EXHIBITION BOXING, by GENTLEMEN AMATEURS.

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Soldiers and Sailors, 50 Couts-Back Seats.

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Hongkong, January 11, 1892.

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Firm's well-known BRANDS of CLARETS: Per Case of Per Case of \$ 5.25 \$ 6.25 Marganx Medoe Chiteau Lafon Rochet, 1 St. Estephe 1883 Moulis Brillette, Medoc 1880 12.50 Château Lamordre, Moulis 1878 Chateau Lutour, Second vin 1880 mis en bouteil-

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Meither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in complainty Hi rbour :-ARON, Norwegian barque, Capt. A. Christensen. - Kong Wing Tai. COLOMA, America barque, Captain C. M. Noyes. — Order. G. H. WAPPAUS, Butish barque, Captain P. Hansson.-Chinese. L'Avenire, British brigantine, Capt. J. H. Borstel, -Order.

A. Pendieton. -Shewan & Co. fo-day's Advertisements. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

MARTHA DAVIS, Amer. barque, Capt. W.

LIMITED. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOODBOW. The Co.'s Steamship Haitan,
Capt. S. Ashron, will be
despatched for the above

Ports on FRIDAY, the 15th Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 13, 1892.

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATIO COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR MANILA (DIRECT.) The Co.'s Steamship

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Hongkong, January 13, 1892. COMPANY, LIMITED.

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General Managers. Hongkong, January 13, 1892. FOR SHANGHAI.

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S. REICH, General Agent. Hongkong, January 13, 1892. U. S. MAIL LINE.

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All the above Rates are in Mexican Dollars. Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Navai. Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of China and Japan, and to Government officials and

their families. Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding Overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacitic, Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific | Kailways

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pany's and connecting Steamers. Freight will be received on board until p.m, the day provious to sailing. Parist Packages will be received at the office and 5 p.m., same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Consular Invoices to according Cargo

destined to points beyond tran Franctico in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes. addressed to the Collector of Customs at Can For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agoncy of the Company, No. 72, Queen's Road Central.

J. S. VAN BUREN. Hongkong, January 18 1812.

Business Notices.

JUST UNPACKED,



To-day's Advertisements.

COMING.

RESIDENT ENGINEER'S OFFICE, Hongkong, January 13th, 1892.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. 14th Instant, at 2.45 p.m. Ranges-200, mann, Lieut, Casteran, Mr Dupout, and

GRANT, BOYD, MACK. Hecht, Woog and Firen.

Acting Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, January 13, 1892



are cordially invited to attend. Hongkong, January 13, 1892.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA, LIMITED. TOHEMISTS, &c.

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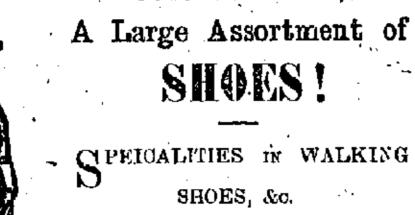
Meefoo, Chineso str., from Whampon. Ningpo, German str., from Whampoa.

Nanskan, British steamer, 805, Joseph Blackburne, Swatow January 12, General. -Hop Hing Hong. Haiphong, French steamer, 874, Fauran,

Pakhoi January 9, and Hoihow 12, General. -EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Phra Chula Chom Klao, British steamer, ,011, J. A. Morris, Sourabaya January 3,

MEICHERS & Co. DEPARTURES.

Haiphone for Cuast Ports. Djemuah, ier Europe. Fushum, for Whampon. Singan, for Whampon. Sakoto, for Manila. Tai Lee, for Moji. Chind, for Yokohama and San Francisco. dmoy, for Whampon.



NOVELTIES IN LADIES' SLIPPERS.

TENNIS SHOES

wood, and 62 Chinese.

l Chinese.

Yuet Hing.

Mr Pender, and 98 Chinese.

PASSENGERS.

ARRITED.

Per Amoy, from Shanghai, 10 Chinese.

Per Haiphong, from Haiphong, Messrs

from Hoihow, Mr J. C. Melrose, and 12

Per Triumph, from Pakhei, 57 Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Sister Macario, Sister Marie Custance, and

Per China, for Yokohama, &c., 4 Euro-

TO DEPART.

Per Activ, for Holhow, 1 European, and

SHIPPING REFORTS

The British steamer Chingtu reports:

The German steamer Triumph reports:

MOUNT AUSTIN HOTEL.

LIST OF VISITORS.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mr and Mrs H. H. Mr A. E. Skeels

Thursday, the 14th inst.

Per Meefoo, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,

Per Yung Ching, at 3.30 p.m., on Thurs-

Per Ningpo, at 3.30 p.m., on Friday

Per Aucona, at 11.30 a.m., on Friday,

For EUROPE, &c., INDIA VIA BOMBAY

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.—

The German Contract Packet Stuttgart will

Letters 11.10 to 11.30 a.m. Supple-

departure extra postage 10 cents.)

be despatched on SATURDAY, the 16th

Inst., with Mails for the United King-

dom, Europe and countries beyond,

ments, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon,

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2.30 with 10 cents extra postage.

The British Contract Packet Ravenia will

mah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta,

The usual hours will be observed in closing

HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS.

When the Packets leave at Noon.

will be closed at 5 the day before.

10.00 A.M.—Registry ceases.

11.00 A.M. -- Mail closes.

Books, and Patterns ceases.

Circulars ceases:

The following hours will be observed in

(Prices Current and Circulars may

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11.10 A.M.) with 10 cents late fee up to

11.30 A.M., after which hour they may

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be despatched on THURSDAY, the

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. -

day, the 14th inst, instead of an

Joseph and child Mr Taylor

MAILS will close:-

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previously notified.

the 22nd inst.

Registry ceases at 1 P.M.

the Mails, &c.

Mr A. Ross

Mr J, B. Coughtrie Mr Poste

Mr Charles C. Malsch

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peans, and 46 Chinese.

20 Chinese.

Per Haiphang, for Foochow, Mr Lee

Berard, Durnouberger, and 19 Chinese:

QUEEN'S RD. & DUDDELL ST.

Per Chingtu, from Sydney, Mr H. Har.

NOTIFICATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given that on and ofter SATURDAY NEXT, the 16th Instant, WHEELED TRAFFIC along HOLLY WOOD HOAD from SING WONG STREET to PEEL STREET, will be STOPPED pending the Completion of the New DRAINAGE Works in this Street.

> FRANCIS A. COOPER, Acting Surveyor General.

SPOON PRACTICE for Best Aggre- Gordes. From Shanghai: for Saigon, gate will take place TO-MORROW, 7 Marines, Messrs Saucien, de Ba

Mr Marcel : for Marseilles, Mr Jordan, Mr The INTERPORT MATCH will be fired and Mrs Henderson, Colonel Hoppen, on FRIDAY, 15th Instant, weather per- Mr Serguccenks, Rev. Egerton, Me and 73 mitting. Muster sharp at 200 yards range, Mrs Bruce, Messrs Shade, Husadel, Labeat 2.15 p.m. The following, besides the deff, Mrs Potrewoff; for Suez, Mr Hoye-Umpires, are requested to be present, Messrs | mann. From Kobe : for Saigon, Mr Woog's FORD, MANN, McCLENNAN, ROBERTSON, Servant. From Yokohama : for Singapore, WATSON, MARTIN, HASWELL, MACARRE, Mr and Mrs Nathan, 2 infauts and amah, and 1 Japanese; for Marseilles, Measts

ED. ROBINSON,

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF

Experienced light variable winds and fine No. 1165. weather, until Cabra, when had strong N.E. THE Next Regular MEETING of the monsoon until arrival at Hongkong. above LODGIC will be held in the The British steamer Nanshan reports: Had strong monsoon from port to port, with FREEMASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on SATURDAY, the 16th Instant, at 9 for moderate high following sea. Steamers in 9.30 p.m. precisely. VISITING BRETHREN Swatow. Formosa and China. 66 Had strong N.E. winds.

SELECTIONS FROM WINE AND Doz. Bottle. For SWATOW & SHANGHAL.-

Per Hoihow, at 10.30 a.m., on Thursday, Per Arratoon Apear, at 11.30 a.m., on For AMOY & MANILA .-Per Yiksang, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday,

For SHANGHAL .-SHERRY-VINO DE PASTO -A Medum Dry Wine with

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> 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

SHIPPING.

Chingtu, British steamer, 1,459, A. Hunt, Spdney via Ports December 24, General .-BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Amoy, German steamer, 814, Th. Leh-

mann, Shughai January 10, Rice and General. - Stemssen & Co. Dorg Forster, British steamer, 1,270, D. Morgan, Kutchinotzu January 8, Coul.-Mitsui Bussan Kaishia.

Triumph, Germansteamer, 674, J. Bruhu,

Sugar. —Butterfield & Swife. Chorochorofoo, German steamer, 796, F. Clausen, Manila January 10, General .-

January 13:-Continental, for Haiphong.

OLEARED. Chinges, for Shanghai. 69 Actio, for Holnow.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Noon.-Arratoon Apoar loaves Straits and Calcutta.

Miscellaneous. 9 a.m. -Artillery Practice. 2.45 p.m.—Competition of the Hongkong Rifle Association.

WATSON & Co. LIMITED.

American Cheroots. HESE CHEROOTS, made from a Fine

Solucted Quality of are mild, well matured, of excellent flavour, pertinent, especially while a number of and will be found equal to Havanas. Her Majesty's vescels, which might well be They are meeting with much favour in the used for such a purpose, are lying idly in Colony as an agreeable change from the the harbour. It would be curious to see usual Manila Cigar, and we confidently what reply would be given to the agents of recommend them to the notice of Smokers. the missing steamer Torrington, were an Per Nanshan, from Swatow, Capt. Young Price-\$5.50 per Box of 250.

WINES AND SPIRITS.

PORTS, SHERRIES, CLARETS, BRANDY, SCOTCH WHISKY, IRISH WHISKY, BOURBON WHISKY, GIN Per Djemnah, from Hongkong : for Saiand RUM. Our favourite and well-known | mons. gon, Messre Lan Akin, Ong Ko Tiong, 20 Chinese; for Singapore, Messre M. Brands of the above are bought direct from Meyer, H. A. Meyer, J. Isaac, Y. Missans, the most noted shippers, imported in wood Koto, W. Foster, and 7 Chinese; for Colomand bottled by ourselves thus enabling us bo, Mr Herbert Dent ; for Marseilles, Capt. to supply the best growths at moderate H. C. A. Harris, J. Krohn, and Johann prices. We shall be pleased to furnish full particulars and price lists on application.

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LAWN GRASS SEED. SWEET CORN SEED.

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A fresh supply of the above just received.

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

THE HONGRONG DISPENSARY,

DEATH. At the Peak Hospital, on January 11th, 1892, JOHN EDGAR, aged 43 years.

at 7.30 p.m.

The publication of this issue commenced

The China Mail. HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 13, 1892. THE correspondence between Capt. Hopkins (the agent of the Scottish Oriental Steamship Co.) and the Naval authorities, For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA | which we publish to-day, will no doubt be read with surprise, if not with any stronger feeling. When H. M. S. Porpoiss was so Per Ravenna, Circulars 8 a.m., Papers, promptly despatched the other day, on &c., 10,30 a.m., Letters 11 a.m., on receipt of the terrible story which Capt. Thursday, the 21st Instant. (Late Lunt of the Meefoo brought to the colony, mentary Meil on board till time of many people may have been inclined to give the Naval authorities credit for possessing the will to be of some use, aithough the question as to what earthly good the gunboat could do under the circumstances would not be easy to answer-except by saying that it could via Brindisi; to the Straits Settle- do no good at all. Capt. Lunt's report was

that he had seen a steamer (which now turns out to have been the Namchow) founder off Cupchi Point, that he went as The Mail closes at 2 P.M. Late letters till near as he dared to the place where the Club. After a stiff encounter the Club won vessel had disappeared and that he could by 4 goals to 1; see nothing of the steamer, crew, bosts or wreckage. What the Propose went out to In consequence of the illness of Captain 21st Instant, with Mails for the United | see it is difficult to guess, but as we said Kingdom, Europe, and countries be- the readiness shown to do something, or to Governor, the Ball proposed to be given at Settlements, Netherlands India, Bur. try to do semething, in an emergency Government House on Thursday next by would be taken as a sign that the naval Sir William and Lady Robinson has been authorities had to some extent shaken off postponed. the lethorgy and indifference—the inob'long-my-pidgin ' feeling which has often MESSES Arnhold, Karberg & Co inform us been charged against them, and which that the China Shippers Mutual Company's roused topular indignation a year ago, in a. a. Kemun, from London and Liverpool, connection with the Namoa tragedy. But | passed the Canal on the 12th instant, and this surprising alacrity in going to look for may be considered due at Singapore on or Chinese owned steamer which had gone to about the 31st inst. closing the Mails for Europe, &c., by the English and French Packets, when they the bottom, and to render assistance where leave at Noon. The Money Order Office little could be given, seems to have been AT the Megistracy to-day Mr Wise conquite a phenomenal outburst of sotivity on | cluded the inquiry into the circumstances 8.00 A.M. -Posting of Prices Current and the part of the Naval authorities, and they | connected with the death of a ricksha coolie have now had a bad relapse in con- in Queen's Road in the o urse of last week. if they are tied in bundles, country sequence. Therefore, when an appeal is The man had been set upon by a number of made to them to aid in the case of a coolies and was so badly treated that he st-amer which is not known to have died while being removed to the Hospital. foundared, but which must at least be in From the medical evidence it appeared that 10.30 A.M. - Posting of Newspapers, dire distress, they adopt the familiar at- death had resulted from hemorrhage caused THE LETTERS may be posted (from

pose required; in fact there is no possibility of making any excuse, so none is attempted. To Capt. Hopkins appeal for help their roply, in effect, is simply 'We have got nothing to do with the matter.' We should thick it ought not to be necessary to make such an appeal in circumstances like the present. There are at least two steamers belonging to the colony—the Somdetch Phra Nang and the Torrington-about whose fate and whereabouts the gravest anxiety has been felt for some days past, and this fact alone ought to have been sufficient to induce some effort on the part of the Naval authorities towards giving the

assistance which they could so easily ren-

The suggestion that the agent of the Scottieli Oriental Stuamship Co. should send one of the company's steamers to look PENNSYLVANIAN TOBACCO LEAF. for the Somdetch Phra Nang, is simply imapplication made for help to the Naval authorities. Perhaps they would be told not to allow vessels to be consigned to them of less than 2000 horse-power, or of a speed less than 15 knots. Perhaps some explanation of this cool impertinence may be obtained either through the Chambers of Commerce or in the House of Com-

TELEGRAMS. SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.'

(Via Southern Line.)

VICTOR. LONDON, January 11. Prince Albert Victor of Wales is suffering from a severe attack of influenza-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

13: Shasi, 24; Wo. Sang, 27; Patroclus, Dec. 1; Charters Tower, 11; Ainsdale, Bellona, Moray, 18; Gleneagles, Titan, 22 : Bayern, Benlawers, Electra, Telemachus, 29; Aglaia, Oopack, Radnorshire. Jan. 1; Dardanus, Glenogle,

Breconshire, Glenshiel, Oanfa, Peshawur . 20 ; Hesperia, Jan. 1; Strathleven, Polyphemus, Flintshire, Glengarry, Jan. 5 : Saluzie, 8. The M. M. Co.'s steamship Saghalien, with the French Mail of the 11th Dec., left

Europa, 24; Rossija, Dec. 1; Sarpedon, Yorkshire, Hankow, 15.; Benledi, 22;

This packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Nov. The O. & O. Co.'s a. s. Belgic, with the

or about Thursday, the 14th Jan.

The s.s. Torrington left Saigon on Dec. 30, and is now overdue. The s. s. Strathaven left Singapore on Jan. 2nd, and is now due.

Singapore for this port on the 6th Jan, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 18th. The China Shippers M. Co.'s a. a. Kintuck, from London and Liverpool, left Sin-

Jan., and may be expected here on or about the 15th Jan. he Austrian Lloyd's s. s. Melpomene, from Bombay, left Singapore on Jan. 7th,

The s.s. Olelydra, from Straits and Calcutta, left Singapore for this port on the Sth Jan., and may be expected here on or about the 16th Jan.

this port on Jan. 13th, and may be expected here on or about Feb. 3rd. The P. and O. s. s. Shanghai left London for this port on Dec. 21st. YESEERDAY a polo match was played at the

Fremanile, A. D. C. to His Fxcellency the

ILLNESS OF PRINCE ALBERT

pneumonis. His strength is maintained.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

Palamed, Shanghai, Caledonien, Jan. 5. HOMEWARD BOUND :- Metapedia, Nov. 17

Saigon on Monday, the 11th January, at 3 p.m., and may be expected here on Friday morning, the 15th Jan.

AMERICAN MAIL of Dec. 19th, left Yokohama on Saturday, Jan. 9th, at daylight, and may be expected here on

The O. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Prometheus left Singapore on Jan. 5th, and may be expected here on or about Jan. 13. The P. and O. Co.'s steamer Nizam left

gapore for this port on the 8th and may be expected here on or about

The Ben Line steamship Beneider, from London, left Singapore on Jan. 8, and may be expected here on or about Jan. The N. G. I. s. S. Bisagno left Bombay for

Causeway Bay between the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders, and the Polo

titude of masterly inactivity and callous by rapture of the spicen, and Mr Wise gave indifference. There is no possibility of an open verdict in accordance with the making the exquee of not having any res- in edical testimony. Two men are in charge sel that could be made use of for the pur- as having been connected with the affair.

MESSES Carlowitz & Co. inform us that the | Uncle Sam's ships. - The United States is | N. G. I. s. Bisagno left Bombay for this making good progress in building its navy. We see by the Secretary of the Navy's port to-day, and may be expected here on Report, that thirteen new yessels have or about Feb, 3rd.

disposed of the six men who had been ten men zuhed into the house, threw recook, broke open a box, and abstracted respectable if not formidable. There is \$240. \$60 were recovered, but some of booty. The mon were armed with swords imprisonment each with hard labour.

Club will play the full team of the A. & 8. Highlanders, under Association rules. Both sides have got together their strongest teams and a most interesting game should result. It is hoped that there will be a harge attendance, and if any ladies should grace the ground they will be cordially welcomed. The Club team are particularly requested to wear Blue and White shirts—the Club collegers. The rival teams

are as follows:-The Club.-W. V. Anderson, goal; H. Wallace and E. S. Ezekiel, backs; O. Taylor, R.N., H. W. Sinde and E. T. Young, R.E., half backs; E. M. Loring, R E., and N. L. Cay, R.N., right wing; R. W. Maitland, left wing.

1st A. & S. Highlanders. - Private Reid, goal; Pte. Winter and Lce. Corpl. Inglis, backs; Sergt. Lockhead, Sergt. Murison a disaster had occurred. At Cupchi and Pte. Watson, half backs; Bandsman | Captain Burr went ashore with Watson and Pte. Wilkie, right wing ; Pto, Robertson, centre; Pte. W. Inglis and Pte. O'Donnell, left wing.

FIRE broke out about 4.30 this morning in a foreign goods establishment in Bonham Strand, of which Lo Yu is the managing partner. The house No. 148 was completely gutted, and in spite of the efforts of the Fire Brigade, who turned out promptly, under the direction of Acting Superintendent Herapool, the adjoining houses, Nos. 144 and 146, portions of which are also occupied by the same, were attacked by the flames and suffered considerable damage. The origin of the five is at present a mystery which may or may not be cleared up by a magisterial inquiry. Three shop-coolies who were sleeping in the top floor of No. 146, the house in which the lire broke out, state that they were awakened by a crackling noise, An accountant who was sleeping on the ground floor says he was awakened by the coolies shouting fre. Seeing the place on flames he ran to the reside and took out about \$4000 which it con- to the Union Line. There is a runder tained and then went to inform his employer, Lo Yu. It is stated that there was only one kerosene lamp in the house, and that was on the ground floor, the kerosene from which the lamp was filled being kept on the first floor. A fireman found two tins of kerosene open on the first floor. The stock was insured in the Northern Assurance Office (Messrs, Hewett & Co., agents) for \$10,000, and with an office for which Messrs, Schellhass & Co. are ag-nis, f r \$5000, with which office also the furniture and clothing on the premises were insured for \$200%

THE Panshen Erdeni Lama of Tibet (says the Shanghai Mercury) sooms to be a kind of No. 2 Dalai Lama, which latter is supposed to instruct the former in his duties, in title follows .- The mandarins have favoured him into all the mysteries and ri es of the breed, and ultimately into office. These offices, however, the present Dalai Lama cannot perform very well, because the Panshen Lama is the former's senior in age. The longevity of these personages is not very great, for reasons which may perhapa be left to be aurmised, and re-incarnation always takes in a very young and helpless child, which practically leave, the reins of government in the hands of crafty and will Lama priests, and when the latest 'incarnation' is about to bloom into manhood, by some wonderfully mysterious but by no means miraculous process, a new incarnation takes place, or is made to take place. These incarnations appear to be Bretty expensive affairs to China, and there is an additional inducement to the Tibetan Lamas in high position that repetitions of these occurrences should succeed each other as frequently as conveniently can be man. aged, and the joy of the faithful Lamas in Tibet is explicable at the early prospect of installation of the Panshen Lama taking place (2nd February next), if it is borne in mind that the Governor-General of Szechuen has been commanded to shell out Tis. 100,000 towards supporting the dignity of the newly incornated Lama.

ceived a wonderful addition recently from charges laid against them, which if vended ask them to allow the form to be amended Celebes; it is the skull of a Babyrussa, would doom them at least to life-long cap- and that the case should be reheard in bent in a semicircular manner, right back to little more than three months ago that Li of animals are a speciality of the museum. Vicercy, received from the Governor clone | do. especially those of cavida, of which the of the Northern provinces some such saret Father Heude, S.J., is making a special residing in his City. They had been susthose of two Saigon elephants, and many asveral recently buried bodies exhumed, while seeing. At the entrance to the pre- of these bodies had evidently been placed appeal would take up the Court during mises two large black engles arel keeping out, and of course the foreigners had done watch one (Hal. Palig) from Manshuris, it. Inform me how I shall punish them. they had arranged to be present at two N. S. W., ores, which were handed to him a curlous Mongolian autelope, known this scoret information was laid. But because the solicitor did not wish to wait amongst the Chinese as "yellow goat," but surely it has not come to this, that the lives half an hour, but the Court is left to wait. the learned director calls it Procapra gut- and property of British subjects are to be turosa. The animal is indeed of the size at the mercy of any cook and bullstory of a goat, and of a yellowish, lion like which Chinese Viceroys may be pleased to ant in the case. colour hence the Chinese name. The listen to. And that without trial or even peculiarity of the snimal is the shape of its charge of illegality we must be audjected head, which is rather large and resembles to whatever penaltics the arbitrary indg- in absence. that of a donkey. The one at Sicarei is a ments of mandarine may inflict. If in the demale, and without horns; the mules are sooner the country is closed exernit foprovided with such adornments, - Mercury. reigners the batter for us all.

been placed in commission since March, 188 !. Four of these were finished during sent to as for publication :-This morning at the Magistracy Mr Wise the past year. The whole number of war vessels that have been completed, since the above date, is fifteen. The number still retained in custody for being connected to be completed is twenty-five, making with the robbery of a trader named Lau forty ships in all. These consist of monitors, cruiscia, gunboata, harbor defence King at No. 10 Cross Street, Wanchai, on rams, torpedo hoats and one practice New Year's Day. In this case upwards of cruiser. The whole fleut will be completed in the year 1894. There are also three tug bonts in process of construction. The Uni pepper in the eyes of the trader and his ted States fleet, when completed, will be of course, a chance of some of the vesse and their armament becoming obsoletthose implicated in the andacious robbery before they are completed. So many have got off with the larger share of the changes are made in guns, in armor and in engines of war in these days, that the vessel which meets all the requirements of when the robbery was committed. Mr this year may next year or the year after, Wise sentenced the accused to six months' be inmentably defective. The armaments food. of these ships of war are fully up to th science of the day, as is their armor, machinery and equipment. American ships To-MORROW, at 4.30 p.m., the Football of war, therefore, are in no greater danger of becoming obsolete than are the ships of the great maritime nations of the world.

THE SHIPPING DISASTER NEAR OUPCBI POINT.

GREAT LOSS OF LIFE. Definite information has been received with reference to the steamer seen Captain Lunt of the Melfoo to founder of Cupchi Point on Friday morning, the 8th inst. Late last night a telegram was received by Admiral Richards from Captain Burr, of the Porpoise, at Swatow to 1. following effect: Namchow sunk; 50 vessels of the Scotlish Oriental Company duced to the Corporation of Liverpool for Chinese saved; arrived here: drowned.—Porpoise.' Upon the intimation H. Smythe, centre; F. Maitland and E. of Captain Lunt's information Admiral Richards sent the Perpoise north to endeavour to find out definitely |

> interpreter and made inquiries among the villagers, when it was learned that 29 men had come ashore in a white boat. No information could be got as to the name of the vessel, as the shipwrecked people had left for Swatov overland, whence apparently the Porpoise had sailed as 10 trace of the wrock could be found off the Cupchi Point. Last night Messrs Ban Moh and Co., the agents for the Namchow, alw received a telegram from Swatow follows :- ' Namchow sunk ; 4 supercargoss and 64 passengers saved and arrived here," The agents state that the steamer cleared from Hougkong for Amoy with 491 passengers and a crew of 68 which latter included Captain Lee and four European officen. Of course, the above figures can merely be taken as approximate, but there can no doubt that there has been considerable loss of life, the total number drowned being between 450 and 500. The majority of the passengers were bound from the Straits seeing that the place to Amoy, and it has been ascertained that 22 adults and one child were shipped at Hongkong for Amoy.

No information has as yet been received of the Somdetch Phra Nong, nor of the Torrington, the former belonging to the Scottish Oriental S. S. Co., and the latter that the Torrington has put into Manila, but of this no authentic information has been received by the agents.

Since writing the above we have received the following from the Agents of the a.s. Torrington, Messra Dodwell, Carlill & Co.:-

* We have received a telegram this evering from Tourane stating that the s. s. Torrington has put in there with machiney outof order and from stress of weather, and will sail on or about the 15th instant. expect her here on or about the 19th insti-

THE SE ZURE OF A BRITISH WARE-BOUSE AT FATSHAN. HIGH-HANDED PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHINNE

AUTHORITIES. A correspondent at Fatahan writes as Ratahan with another visit in connection with the scizure of the British warehouse there. They came with flags, gongs, and sol liers, and on a fleet of nine or ten large junks towed by steam launches, and or. ried off all the contents of the godows of which they obtained possession so unlawfully a few days ago. The merchandise carried off c naisted of cotton yarn, piece goods, tin plate, and bamboos, upon all of which full duty had been paid. They very fittings of the warehouse and some of the glass windows,-everything indeed that was moveable and might sell for alew

which these proceedings caused the people | would then leave the Colony. of Fatshan were remarkably quiet. Since they learned that the seizure of the foreign hong was instigated by the notoriously extertionate native customs, the sympathies of the Fatshan populace have been enlirely with the foreigner.

The Viceroy says in justification of his action that he has received some secretinformation. Very likely he has. Thereare | and did not choose to pay afterwards. few foreigners who have lived long in the If their Lordships held that this action for THE Spawei Museum at Shanghai has re- interior of China without having secret with four tusks rising almost like horns, and tivity, if not to something worse. It is order that justice might be done. the frontal bone. Skulls of different kinds Hung Chang, the brother of the Canton learned director of the Museum, the Rev. information respecting several Europeans. MR JUSTICE CLARKE CRITICIZES THE BAR. study. The collection of skulls at the pected of making merchandise of the eyes Sicawei Museum is a unique one, and and brains of native children, and, worth while inspection; it includes, said the appient Governor, 'I have amongst a great variety of other skulls, carefully investigated the case, have had other objects of a different nature, worth and the charges are perfectly true, theeyes and Mr Hastings had thought the and the other (Haliatus Niger) from I am forry I cannot give Li Hung Ching's c'clock. Korea, To the right from the entrance reply, but if his brother had been it his there is an enclosure, containing deer of place he would probably have given oders fair way of treating the Court. It is always various kinds, the subject of the pet for the immediate arrest and decapitation studies of Father Hevde; amongst them is of the unfortunate foreigners against show

CORRESPONDENCE

THE NAVAL AUTHORITIES AND MISSING STEAMERS: The following correspondence has been

SCOTTISH ORIENTAL S. S. Co., LD., 48, Queen's Road, Hongkong, Jan. 11th, 1892. Commodore Church, R.N.,

H. M. S. Victor Emanuel. SIR.—The Scottish Oriental Co.'s steam Hangelow a few miles North of Cabra; Island on 22nd Dec., and has not since been heard of. The Hangchow, bound on a similar voyage, experienced terrible weat NEWS BY THE AUSTRALIAN ther and ran back to Manila, arriving here finally on the 2nd instant. The Somdetch Phra Nang may have been driven on to the Scarborough Shool, or she may be anchored in one of the Bays of the Coast of

a gun-vessel to see if the steamer or any trace of her can be found in the neighbourhood indicated.

I am, Sir, Your Obedient Servant. GEO. T. HOPKINS. Agent Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. Limited

> Imperieuse at Hongkong, 12th Janua y, 1892.

Geo. T. Hopkins, Esq., Scottish Oriental S. S. Co. a vessel may be despatched to the Coast of the case. Luzon to search for your overdue vessel Somdetch Phra Nang, and to acquaint you court. that he is of opinion the search requested is more properly one to be instituted by 434 sngaged in the Java trade on the same

I am, Sir, your obedieut servant, JOHN CARLIBLE. Secretary.

SUPREME COURT. IN APPELLATE JURISDICTION (Before the Full Court.) Wednesday, January 13.

A CHINESE 'MONEY LOAN ASSOCIATION. by four Chinese against other four men the coast defeace with regard to a 'Money Loan Association with which they had been connected, the Chilian Cabinet and Mr P. Egan, United and the business of which had come to a States Minister, is increasing. At attempt sudden termination. There were twelve made to arrest Mr Egan's son was unsucmembers. Each member undertook to ceaful. pay \$50 a month, by which a sumof \$600 was made up. Each month the be slowly assembling at Valparaiso. members met at dinner (paid for by each of THE CHARGE AGAINST A MEMBER OF THE the members in turn) and at these dinners tenders were received for the fund of \$600, the member offering the highest interest Hastings, M. P. for the Eastern Division came to an end. The four parties who had Bail was refused. paid into the Association for eight months. and who had received no benefit sued the other four members who had censed to pay Tong, and that all the sums claimed Canada. were paid to him by the defendants. Mr E. J. Ackroyd, who heard the case as Acting Chief Justice, was of opinion that the contributions not paid were due and that Lai Chak Tong had no authority from the other members to receive beforehand my contributions, and he accordingly gave

judgment for the plaintiffs. J. Francis, Q.C., appeared for the appellants, instructed by Messrs. Donnys and Mossop; while Mr A. J. Leach appeared for Tam Kit, one of the respondents, in-

structed by Mr Wilkinson. Mr Francis stated this was an appeal on | a question of law. He related the circum- Governor, the Hon. A. R. Angers. s ances of the case, and maintained there was no contract proved or shown between Tam Kit and the four defendants jointly or severally that they would pay him a sum of the fund for the relief, of the sufferers in \$200. The only contract proved and shown | the famine districts. The Czarewitch, the was a contract that each of the members Grand Duke Nicholas, subscribed 50,000 would contribute to a common fund which | roubles. he might not get in the first instance but which he was certain to get at some time. He therefore submitted there was no con- the sufferers. The works are to be in tually new loans. The bunkers are unable tract at common law on which this action | readiness for the spring. could be maintained, and that there were absolutely no means of deciding the issues

in sugh a case. Mr Leach, in the course of his remarks, said he understood the judge's notes on the evidence did not show the whole facts of the case. As regarded the contention that working out the scheme as a whole, jet the barracks. unless their Lordships held that these men were liable in this case the pursuers were practically deprived of any remody at all. He submitted this was against the whole lost their lives in a heavy snowstorm at intention of the Association, and their Abruzzo. Lordships would see from the mies that the Association was for mutual profit in a certain sense, for the mutual removed also the furniture, and even the help of its members and the common good of all. He instanced a case of a dishonest headman. To hold that no action was maintainable individually would be holding out a premium to dishonesty, be-

> Mr Justice Clarke-That is what very often happens. that if it was held that this action was not maintainable the result would takes place at New Orleans. be that those members who had not drawn and paid regularly were in a worse position than those who had drawn money lent was not maintainable he would

Sir James Russell said the Court would consider the case and see what they could

to have heard a case in Summary Jurisdiction in which Mr Wilkinson and Mr Hastings were the solicitors.

Mr Wilkinson elone was present, and he intimated to his Lordship that, as he the whole of the earlier portion of the day, from the Broken Hill and White Rock,

His Lurdship-I do not think that is a being treated in this way. This arrangement has apparently been come to merely been deceived as to the value of the terri-Mr Wilkinson-I represent the defend-

His Lordship-Then you are all right. The proper way would be to give judgment

Mr Wilkinson-Of course. But I stated to Mr Hastings that I would not take advantage of his absence.

His Lordship-No; but the Court may. Just now there is a great deal of work. I have got every minute of my time engaged. Pontefract, who had lately been left

his friend's absorce. His Lordship-Well, but it is not treating the Court at all fairly. . It is not your fault I hope you will indicate to your friend that upon the noor man's sport. Somdetch Phra Nang left Java for Hong. solicitors should not make such an arrangekong on 15th ultimo, was sighted by the ment without communication with the Court.

MAIL

REMARKABLE SLANDER CASE. London, Dec. 22. - A slander case; possessing some remarkable features has been Luzon for shelter, and be short of coal and brought before the law courts. A Mrs Osborne sued Mrs Lagrence, wife of I have therefore to appeal to you to send Major Hargreaves, of Torquey, for the recovery of damages for slander in having cause. alleged that she stole Mrs Hargreave's pearls while on a visit to Mrs Hargreave at her residence at Torquay, and also that she sold them to Spink and Son, the wellknown jewellers, of London. The details of the case were of a very complicated

A letter was addressed to the Judge before whom the case heard, and this was handed to counsel. The letter led to was handed to counsel. SIR, -I am directed by the Vice-Admiral the discovery that Mrs Caborne had nego-Commander in Chief to acknowledge the timed a bank-note which she had received receipt of your letter of 11th instant ad. from Spink and Son. Upon this fact being dressed to Commodore Church, asking that made known, plaintiff's counsel retired from

The discovery produced a sensation is MB GLADSTANE.

London, Dec 21. - A proposal was introthe granting of the freedom of that city to Mr Gladstone, but the suggestion was negatived by the aldermen.

CHILL AND THE UNITED STATES. London, Dec. 21.—It is believed that in the event of the Chilian Government being involved in hostilities with the United upon American sailors, the Navy Department of the United States will purchase the Pacific eleamships Zealandia, Australia. Mariposa, and Alameda, belonging to the Oceanic Steamship Company of San Fran-Several months ago an action was raised cisco, to servous transports, and as part of

London, Dec. 22.—The friction between

Dec. 23. -The American fleet appears to

London, Dec. 21 .- Mr George Woodyatt getting the 'pool,' less the amount of in- of Worcesterbire, who kins arrested upon terest. After the Association had run for a charge of laving obtained by fraud the eight months the headman or trustee, lai sum of £15,000 from the trustees of a will, Chak Tong, disappeared, and the business has been remanded on the charge of fraud. THE UNITED STATES AND GANADA.

London, Dec. 23 .- Within the pest six months the military forces of the United their subscriptions after Lai Chak Tong's Stutes, on the Canadian frontier, have failure in business. The defence was that been trebled, as a matter of precaution in the only person responsible was Lai Chak | the event of any rupture of relations with

SEVERE WINTER IN ENGLAND. London, Dec. 22,-Very severe frosts are being experienced in England. Skat-

ing it general. In many parts of the kingdom the floodwaters caused by the goods heavy rains have been sunverted and in the exa trems cold. There are 10 miles of ice The case was appealed, and to-day M. J. between Northampton and Wisheach, ference, the result of which would probably confined to his bed. where the country was greatly flooded.

THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN QUEEKC. London, Dec. 22 .- M. Boucherville has formed a Consorvative Ministry in Quebec in place of the Mercier Administration, which was dismissed by the Lieutenant-

THE RUSSIAN FAMINE. London, Dec 22,-Three Russian Grand Dukes have subscribed 120,000 roubles to

extensive relief works for the benefit of

ACCIDENT TO THE HON. CECIL RHODES. London, Dec. 23.—The Hon, Rhodes, Promier of Caps Colony, has been thrown from his horse in Capetown. He tralian stocks will soil out such amounts as austrined a fracture of the collar-bone. MURDERS BY SOLDIERS IN ET. PETERBEURG. there was no contract between these parties Russian Imperial Guard have been con- depreciated for years. individually, although he could quite see demned to death at St. Petersburg for the there was a certain amount of difficulty in murder of citizens, whom they decoyed into

SNOWSTORMS IN ITALY. London: Dec. 23. - Severe weather prayails in Italy. Thirty-five labourers have

THE IMPERIAL DIAMOND CASE IN INDIA. London, Dec. 23.—The Imperial diamond case in India, in which Mr Jacob, a Simla ieweller, was committed for trial on a charge preferred against him by the Nizam of Hyderabid of having criminally misappropriated 23 lakhs of rupees in connection with the purchase of the diamond by the Through all the uproar and excitement cause the man who got the first payment Nizam, is closed. Mr Jacob was acquitted.

PUGILUM-SULLIVAN AND BLAVIN. London Dec. 23. -J. L. Sullivan and F. P. Slavin will sign articles on Tuesday for v Mr Leach in his further remarks said | purse of 40.000 dok, which amount has been offered on condition that the encounter

BURNING OF AN ATLANTIC LINER. London, Dec. 22 .- The stoamer Abyssinia, of the Guion line, thus been burned in the Atlantic. All directord were saved. THE LATE CIVIL WAR IN CHILL.

London, Dec. 21.—Chili has settled the claims of Germany and Sweden for compensation for loss of property sustained by subjects of those countries during the late | Michael Davitt, M.P., who is opposing the speaker said that abundant success was THE KING OF CREECE.

Greece has recovered from his mild attacks of antallook THE COMTE DE PARIS. London, Dec. 21.-The Comte de Paris

London, Dec. 21.-King George

is disbanding his press and political organi-THE TREATMENT OF REPACTORY ORES. London, Dec. 21 .- Mr Lubrig, inventor

of the new treatment of refactory and low grade ores, has obtained excellent results by Mr Como Newbery for experiment. THE BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA COMPANY.

London, Dec. 21. - The Times states that the British South Africa Company has tory conceded to it in South Africa. THE PRINCIPALITY OF MONACO. London Dec. 21. - An extradition treaty has been signed between England-

and the Principality of Mouaco. RELIEP OF AN AMERICAN AROFIC EXPLORING London, Dec 20. -The Government of to have taken place in the province of Esthe United States has decided to despatch an expedition to the relief of Commander posed the Vice-Governor of the province,

Peary, the Arotic explor r.

FATAL ACCIDENT TO A LEGATEE. Lordon, Duc. 20. -William Young, of Mr Wilkinson again assured his Lord legacy of £100,000 by the death of a relative ship that he would not take advantage of in Australia, has been killed by falling on-

HABBIT, COURSING IN ENGLAND. London, Dec. 19 .- Her Majesty the but your friend's. Unless the Court is Queon has expressed her sympathy with party to such an arrangement in the future efforts which are being made to suppress it will not be recognised. However, I rabbit coursing in England. The Radiwill let it stand over till two o'clock, and cals complain that the proposal is an attack THE DUKE OF CLARENCE.

London Dec. 19 .- It is believed that the Duke of Clarence would be willing to accept the position of Viceroy of Ireland. CORRUPTION IN CANADA.

Mercier Administration in Quebec is causing great popular ferment in the province. Hon. Honors Mercier, the ex-Premier, doclares that his Government was dismissed by the Lieutenaut-Governor, the Hop. A. R. Angers, in definice of the Constitution. He appeals to the people in support of his

The ex-Premier criticises the action of the Lieutenant Governor in a personal and The French population of Quebec is amol-

excited, and threaters a disruption of the Confederation. This threat is, however, regarded by a majority of the populace as electioneering bounce. THE EUROPEAN CUSTOMS UNION-HONOUR CONFERRED UPON THE GERMAN

CHANCELLOR. London, Doc. 19. - General von Captivi, the Chancellor of the German Empire, has been created a Count, as a roward for his services in negotiating the commercial treaties with the other countries included in the Triple Allianca

The Emperor William, in conferring the honour, said that he considered the new Customs Union vital to the interests of the countries affected by it, and he felt convinced that millions would bless the for-

mation of the leavue. London, Dec. 21.-In an article on the ley, Commander-in-Chief of the army in formation of the European Customs Union. and the prominent part in the negotiations | Preston as Governor-General of the Domi- | that he is now in a precarious position ... played by General von Caprivi, the Chan-States, arising out of the recent assaults cellor of the German Empire, the Times says that the Emperor William's faith in his Chancellor has been amply justified Seldom, it adds, has a more remarkable achievement been accomplished, and Germany by the establishment of the union has become stronger than ever.

DEATH OF DR BROWNE. Lordon. Dec 18,-The death has taken place of the Right Rev. Edward Harold Browne, D.D., D.C.L., lately Bishop of | tactics as a means of gaining their ends. Winchester, aged 80 years. Di Browne had a distinguished scholastic

and ecclesiastical career. He graduated B.A. and Wrangler from Emmanuel Col- critical. lege, Cambridge, 1832; he was Tyrwhite Hebrew scholar in 1834, and Norrisian prizeman a year later. He was M.A. in 1835, B.D. in 1855, and D.D. in 1864. 1836 he was ordained a deacon, and in 1837 a priest at Ely. In 1864 he was consecrated Bishop of Ely, and he was transthe latter See in the present year. His theological works are numerous.

ANTARCTIC EXPLORING. London, Dec. 18.-Uaptain David Gray, of Peterhead, Scotland, has written to Sir Graham Berry, Agent-General for Victoria, and to Baron Oscar Dickson, the Swedish promoter of the proposed Antarctic Exploring Expedition, promising his co-operation. | Nepean.

THE BRITISH OCCUPATION OF EGYPI. Landon, Dec. 19 .- Sir Charles Dilke, in an article in the Sucaker, opposes any sudden evacuation of Egypt by the British. He suggests that a settlement of the Egyptian agestion muld both mught about by the French landing troops at Port Said, Joseph of Austria-Hungary is reported to be either the retirement of England and France from Egypt, or a joint occupation by those Powers, England relying on the Cape route.

AN IMPERIAL GRANT FOR IRELAND. London, Dec. 19.-The Government pres poses to apportion a sum of £200,000 for Ireland from the Imperial grant for fee education. The proposal is giving rise to much controversy in Ireland.

AUSTRALIAN BORBOWING. London, Dec. 18.-London bankers profess themselves staggered at the combined The Russian Government is organising colonies asking for over eight millions upon Treasury bills, and the applications are virto understand why 45 per cent, interest does not attract ideal investors to take a Cecil portion of the issue.

It is feared that holders of existing Aus-

The suggestion made during the present year, that bondholders and invesors in Australian Government accurities should meet and denounce the excessive barowing now being resorted to by the colonies, has been revived. Public opinion regards with the gravest objection the continued expenditure on public works.

A leading banking authority asserts that the Treasury bills ought not to have more than a two years' currency. Bankers, also, are aware that two other colonies propose to saue one million and a half in bills, and other demands are feared.

Some authorities advise that the Treasury bills should be convertible into inscribed stock, but opinions differ as to the desira-

bility of this course being taken. Dec. 13.-The Economist considers that the Treasury Bils will place the colonies much more under the domination of the bankers, and will be certain to creale many new difficulties. It says that it would be

better to submit to the price necessary to float a permanent loan. It the bills are taken up it is possible that London will be floided with a dozen millions of floating debt within three years. THE WATERFORD ELECTION. the election contest for Waterford City, Mr | commander of the Salvation Army, the

candidature of Mr J. E. Redmond, the promising as the outcome of the 'Darkes' leader of the Parnellite section of the Home | England scheme. Of the funds available Rule party, visited a bacon factory at £25,000 had been set apart by the autho-Waterford, accompanied by Dr. Tanner, rities of the Salvation Army to establish an M.P. for Cork, in order to address the over-sea colony directly 'General' Booth workmen. The men refused to listen to returned from his tour abroad. The city either Mr Davittor Dr. Tanner, the latter colony had cost £40,000, and the farm being threatened with a knife. Buth were colony £34,000. Mr Bramwell Booth compelled to retite without addressing the hinted that the colonies would be asked to THE PARNELLITE POLICY.

London, Dec. 18.-The new Parnellite paper, which has been established in Dublin and in called the Dublin Independent, de- money to be repayable in three or four minds absolute self-government for lackand.

THE REBILLION IN BRIZIL. London, Dec. 10 .- The Governor of the province of Sao Paulo, in Brazil, where a revolution has broken out, has resigned. London, Dec. 10. - Affairs- in Brazil remain in an unsettled state, A serious Pernambuco between the police and the civilians in that city, It is aid that 60 persons were killed. London, Dec. 21 .- A revolt is reported

piritu Santo, in Brazil. The rebels deand surrounded the expital.

London. Dec. 23.—There is a strong feeling in the Brazilian mavy in favour of the re-catablishment of Monarchy in Brazil. There are indications of a mutinous spirit among the men of the navy. The army, on the other hand, adheres to the cause of General Floriano Peixotou, the President of the Republic, who succeeded the Dictator, Marshal da Fonseca.

THE CHELSEA SOCIALISTS. Lundon, Doc. 16. - The Che'sea socialists who were found guilty of having obstructed the police have been sentenced. Some were heavily fined, and others were ordered to andergo imprisonment. All were bound over to be of good behaviour for one year. THE BRITISH WEST INDIES.

London, Dec. 16.-Jamaier has now ac-London, Dec. 19 .- The dismissol of the copted the American terms of commercial reciprocity, and has joined the other colonies of the British West Indies in the arrangement with the United States. SLAUGHTER OF SEALS IN BEHRING SEA. London, Dec. 16.—It is stated that 10,007 pups of the fur-bearing seal are lying dead

upon the shores of the islands in Behring THE LIBERAL UNIONISTS. Mr Joseph Chamberlain said that it was impossible for the Liberal Unionists to join | hagen. the Gladstonian Liberals, and it was underivable that they should enter the Con-

servative party. They would, he thought, many years to come. THE PAPAL FINANCES London, Dec. 16.-A Grand Court, sitting at the Vatican to inquire into the irregularities in the finances of the Holy See, has ordered the suspension from office of Monsignor P. Folchi, director of the

Papal Treasury, for maladministration of of the population are said to have perished the finances. The losses herofrom result- and vessels lying in the harbour are without ing have amounted to five millions of lire | crows through death or desertion. (approximately, £182,000). THE CANADIAN GOVERNOR-GENERAL London, Dec. 16. - Truth asserts that it is probable that General Viscount Welse-

Ireland, will succeed Lord Stanley of THE QUIRINAL AND THE VATICAN.

mediate in the difficulty between the bankers, of New York, Edward Field, a Quirinal and the Vatican. THE CLANFRA-GAEL IN AMERICA. London, Dec. 17.—A. Sullivan, the pre- his father, Mr Cyrus W. Field, and to his sident of the Clan-na-Gael organization in partners.

America, has issued a circular calling upon the members of the Irish National League in America to return to physical force WALT WHITMAN. London. Dec. 21.—The condition of Walt Whitman, the American poet, is now !

DEATH OF MONSEIGNEUR PREPREL London, Dec. 22. - Monseignour Charles Emile Freppel, Bishop of Angers and deputy for Brest, France, is dead.

MURDER IN ITALY. London, Dec. 23.—Two Italian dukes the bank by means of dynamite. Dynawe been tried at Naples on a charge of lated to Winchester in 1873. He resigned | having treacherously murdered at Vilarosa a young military officer, the suitor of their sister. One duke was acquitted, and the lists have published a manifesto demand. other was found guilty and sentenced to ing a Parliament. They have acceeded five years' imprisonment.

PURCHASE OF RACEHORSES. London, Dec. 17.-Lord Kesteven has purchased Wentworth for 140 guinean, and Mr Stubbings has given 110 guiness for play, has been produced with great success

London, Doc 18 .- At the Newmarket December sales to-day. Narellan was bought by Mr Pallin for 160 guineas. No offer was made for Chicago. ILLNESS OF THE EMPEROR OF AUSTRIA. London, Dec. 17:-The Emperor Francis

thereby compelling the holding of a con- be suffering from illness, at Vienna, and is CRITICAL CONDITION OF MR. CYRUS FIELD. London, Dec. 17.—Mr Cyrus W. Field,

whose son has just been arrested in New York for larceny of bonds, is reported to be the Women's College within the University NEW MEMBER FOR MID ARMAGH.

vative, has been returned unapposed for Mid Armagh, in succession to Sir J. Peter Corry, Bart. THE ROYAL WEDDING. London, Dec. 17. -The Corporation of

Landon has voted £2600 for the purchase of a present from the city to the Dake of Charence upon his approaching wedding. SHIPPING EXCHANGE IN LONDON. London, Dec. 17.—A shipping exchange

has been formed in London, and the leading Australian lines have joined it. MINISTER FOR WAR IN THE UNITED STATES. London, Dec. 18.—Mr Stephen Elkins they own, and reinvest in the new bills, for has been appointed Minister for War in the the sake of the increased interest. If this | Government of the United States, in suc-Loudon, Dec. 23. - Eight soldiers of the is done, the old stock will thereby be largely | cession to Mr Prostor, who was appointed Senator for Vermont.

A RUSSIAN RAILWAY LOAN. london, Dec. 18.—Russia is seeking to first a milway loan in Berlin. DYNAMITS IN THE DUBLIN POST-OFFICE. London, Dec. 18. - Some alarm has been caused in Dublin by the discovery of a packet of dynamite in the post-office in that

THE COMMERCIAL RELATIONS OF FRANCE London, Dec. 18. - Spain is trebling the duties on several French articles of commerce, owing to the French Government

having imposed taxes on Spanish wines. PRINCE GEORGE OF WALES. London, Dec. 18.—Prince George of Wates is rapidly gaining strength.

EUROPEANS IN THE SOUDAN. London, Dec. 18 .- The Austrian nuns who recently arrived at Korosko, in the Saudin, after having escaped from Khartoum, where they had been kept prisoners by the Mahdists ever since the defeat of the Egyptian forces under Hicks Pasha, report that there are 50 Europeans

posite to Khartoum. THE SALVATION ARMY. London Dec. 17 .- In an address doliver London, Dec. 19.—In connection with ed by Mr Bramwell Booth, the temporary

> years, secured by mortgages on the home-Dec. 18 -The Times, in commenting upon Mr Bramwell Booth's address dealing with the "Darkest England" schome, says that the accounts will not satisfy business men. The shelter homes, the workshops, and the farm settlement all show a deficit

PRANCE AND BULGARIA. London, Dec. 16 .- The French press attacks M: Stambouloff, the Premier of Bulgaris, who refused to permit the return to Bulgaria of a Fronch journalist who had been expelled, and in consequence of which the French Minister at Sofia was withdrawn. It charges M. Stambouloff with

violating the comity of nations, and throatons to appeal to the Porte on the subject.

THE INFLUENZA IN EUROPE. London, Dec. 16 .- Influenza is raging with great virulence at Belfast, Ireland. The mertality is alarming.

Ninety thousand cases of influenza have occurred at Odossa. London, Dec. 18 .- Influenza is raging at Copenhagen. Five thousand cases have occurred during the past week. The King

and Queen of Denmark are sufferers.

RIOTING IN IRELAND. London, Dec. 16 .- Fierco rioting has taken place at Enuis, in Ireland between the contending factions of the Irish party. The riots were provoked by the Parnellite section. Mr John Dillon was struck in the face, and many persons were injured by blows from sticks and stones. The pricats were openly defied and hooted. The mob was eventually dispersed by the police. THE GOLDEN WEDDING OF THE KING AND

DUREN OF DENMARK. London, Dec. 16.—Royal personages of England, Russia, and Greece will jointly Sea, owing to the slaughter of the parent present to the King and Queen of Denmark a splendid group of sculpture on the occasion of the celebration of their golden London, Dec. 16.—Speaking at Leth, wodding in May, 1892. The group is to be placed in the public square at Copen-

AN ADDRESS BY THE FORE TO THE

CARDINALS. London, Dec. 16.—The Pope, in his constitute a third party in Parliament for allocation to the Cardinals, declares that the enomies of the Church are accking to inflict a death blow to the Papacy.

> YELLOW FRVER IN BRAZIL. London, Dec. 15 -A severe epidemic of yellow fever has attacked the town of Santos, in the Brazilian province of Sao Paulo. South of Rio de Janeiro. Already 400

EMIN PASHA IN A PRECARIOUS POSITION. London. Dec. 15.-News has been received to the effect that Emin Pashs, who has reached Wadclai, his former station in the Equatorial Province, has had a series of prelonged conflicts with the natives, and

ARREST OF A NEW YORK BANKER. London. Dec. 15.—As a secuel to the London, Dec. 17.—Austria has offered to collapse of Messrs Field and Lindley. partner in the firm, has been arrested on a charge of having stolen bonds belonging to

CHINA AND THE CHICAGO EXHIBITION. London, Dec. 15.—China has officially refused to participate in the Columbian World's Fair to be held at Chicago in 1893. SUICIDE OF MR. RICHARD MORNS. London, Dec. 16.-Mr Richard Morris.

the managing director of the Morris Tube Ammunition and Safety Range Company, Limited, has committed suicide .. A DARING DEMAND IN BERLIN. London, Dec. 16.—A man has been arrested in Berlin for demanding £500 from a banker, and for threatening to destroy

mite was found in the man's pockets. THE RUSSIAN NIHILISTS. London, Dec. 16.—The Russian Nihiin sending a copy to the Czar.

MISCELLANEOUS. London. Dec. 22.- The Honourable Herbert,' Mr C. Haddon Chambers' new at the London Vaudeville Theatre. London, Dec. 22. - The Salvation Army annual review refers to the monderful

outburst of enthusiasm and romance attending General Booth's marvellous came Daign in Australia. London, Dec. 23.—Southern Hangary has been visited by a terrible opidemic of malignant diphtheria. In several villages all the children died from the disease. London, Dec. 21.- Miss Louisa Mac-Donald, M.A., of London University, has been chosen by the selection committee for appointment to the position of Principal of

of Sydney. London, Dec. 21 .- Financial Times says London. Dec. 17 .- Mr Barton, Conser- that the Australian banks are conducted with marked prudence and success. No group of scourities yielding the same return could

> show so clean a record. London, Dec. 20 .- Mr Justice Chitty has m le an order winding up the Australasian Alkaline Syndicate. London, Dec. 16.—The Financial News says it is obvious that the people of New

Zealand cannot bear the strain of excessive taxation much longer. London, Dec. 19.—The Russians have efused the assistance proffered by Italian and German residents in St. Petersburg on behalf of the Famine Relief Fund. There has also been some difficulty in inducing them to accept casual aid from the English, including £100,000 which has been sub-

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A substantial and reliable Re and whi. all students of China and the Chinese would do well to patronise.'-Uhngsenthemum. The November-Decomber number of the China Review contains less variety than usual, but the few articles are very interes The opening paper by Mr Herber. A. Giles on "The New Testament in Cai nese" treats of a question that must necessarily be of great importance in the eyes of all missionaries. . . Mr E. H. Parker's "Short Journeys in Szechuen are continued, and a goodly instalment of these travels in the interior of China is given. Mr F. H. Balfour contributes paper of some length entitled "The Emperor Cheng, founder of the Chinese Empire," which will be road with genuine interest by students of Ohinese history. A few short notices of New Books and number of Notes and Quedes, one of which "On Chinese Oaths in Western Cornec and Java" might appropriately have been placed under a separate heading, complete

the number.'-H.K. Daily Press. Trubner's Oriental Record contains the following notice of the Ohina Review:-The present publication, judging by the number now before us, is intended to occupy a position, as regards China and the neighbouring countries, some what similar to that which has been filled in India by the Calcutta Review. The great degree of attention that has been bostiwed of late years upon the investigation of Chinoselitorature, antiquities, and social developments, to sav nothing of linguistic studies, has led to the accumulation of important stores of information, rendering some such channel of publicity as is now provided extremely desirable : and contributions of much interest may fairly be looked or from the members of the foreign consular services, the Chinese Customs' corps, and the missionary body among whom a high degree of Chinese scholarship is now assiduously cultivated, and who are severally represented in the first number of the Review by papers highly creditable to their respective authora . . . Some translations from Chinese novels and plays are marked by both securacy and freshness of style; and an account of the career of the Chinese post-statesman of the eleventh century, Su Tang-p'o, by Mr. E. C. Bowra, is not only historically valuable, but is also distinguished by its literary grace. Beside notices of new books relating to China and the East, which will be succeful feature of the Review, if carried out with punctuality and detail, we are glad to notice that 'Notes' and 'Queries' are destined to find a place in its pages also. It is to be hoped that this opening for contributions on Chinese subjects may evoke a similar degree of literary zeal to that which was displayed during the lifetime of its predeceasor in the field, and that the China Review may receive the support ascessary to thaure its continuance.

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